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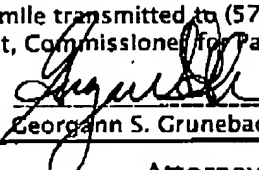
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Attention: Mail Stop Amendment

Attorney Docket No. PD-200337

Please find attached Re: 10/085,920

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- Petition for a 3 Month Extension to respond to PTO Action of December 13, 2005
- Amendment Response to PTO Action of December 13, 2005

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PATENT
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| re Application of: | Ronald P. Cocchi, et al. | Date: | June 13, 2006 |
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| Filed: | February 28, 2002 | Examiner: | Syed Zia |
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time for **THREE** months(s) to respond to the Office Action dated December 13, 2005. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Fee \$ 1,020.00

☐ An extension for _____ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. \$ _____
Extension fee due with this request \$ 1,020.00

☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required to respond to the Office Action dated _____. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

☒ The claims have been calculated as shown below:

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|------------------|------|-------------------|---|---|-----------|--------|--|
| CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE | | | | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 28 | minus | 28* | = | 0 | x | \$ 50.00 | \$ -0- | |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 4 | minus | 4** | = | 0 | x | \$ 200.00 | \$ -0- | |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS | | | | | | + | \$ 360.00 | \$ -0- | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: | | | | | | | | \$ -0- | |

Charge \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383 of The DIRECTV Group, Inc. (formerly Hughes Electronics Corporation), El Segundo, California. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383. If any additional extension fee is required, please charge to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

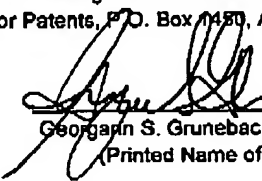
Respectfully submitted,


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